

1 SENATE BILL 582

2 **48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007**

3 INTRODUCED BY

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10 AN ACT

11 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR DENTAL SERVICES AND ORAL HEALTH
12 EDUCATION FOR UNDERSERVED CHILDREN STATEWIDE WHO ARE AT HIGH
13 RISK FOR DENTAL DISEASE.

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15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

16 Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars
17 (\$100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
18 department of health for expenditure in fiscal year 2008 to
19 contract with a nonprofit company to provide dental services,
20 including comprehensive examinations, oral cancer screening, x-
21 rays, cleaning, fluoride treatment and sealants, and oral
22 health education to underserved children statewide who have
23 little access to dental professionals and who are at high risk
24 for dental disease. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance
25 remaining at the end of fiscal year 2008 shall revert to the

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